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William Cromer



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DEDICATION

We, the Seniors, children and teachers, of Kennedale Public School wish to dedicate the 46-47 Annual to Mr. R. C. Williamson, Member of Tarrant Co. School Board.

It makes us quite happy to bestow this honor on "Mr. Bob" because of his untiring service to our school, his high moral standards and his never-ending interest in the welfare of all the school children and schools in this county.

May the success of this loved citizen of our midst be handed down to our posterity, and may the good that he has rendered be felt for many generations to come.





SUPERINTENDENT'S MESSAGE

A School Annual is a book of memories, and it is a cross-section of your school life. This edition represents a definite step in the progress of your school.

Success is operated on the self-service plan and the way to achieve is to offer worthwhile service. Be a "Builder-Up" and not a "Tearer Down." Reach out and strive for better things. "Those who seek and strive will surely someday find."

Place faith and confidence in those of authority. Respect those to whom respect is due, and in turn be respected.

Superintendent,
James A. Arthur



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Editor.....	Jane Luttrell
Assistant Editor.....	Tommy Bulin
Associate Editor.....	Billy Bridges
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Sports Editor.....	Wyatt Winslett
Business Manager.....	Iris Williams
Sponsor.....	James A. Arthur

CLASS REPRESENTATIVES

First Grade.....	Ben Nessler
Second Grade.....	June Morris
Third Grade.....	Linda Arthur
Fourth Grade.....	Melba Archer
Fifth Grade.....	Jerry Jenkins
Sixth Grade.....	O. M. Nessler
Seventh Grade.....	Joe Morris
Eighth Grade.....	Eugene Ward



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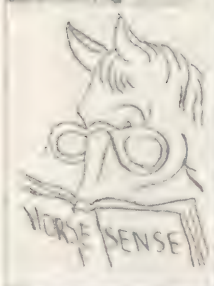
*Best wishes to you through
life as well as school days
Jaa.*

FACULTY

Mr. James A. Arthur
Superintendent



Mrs. Leta Mae Gaby
High School Principal
Seventh Grade



Mrs. Leta Mae Gaby

Mrs. Virginia Buddin
Music and Science

*Your music
teacher,
Mrs. Buddin*



Mrs. Reath Askew
Elementary Principal
Eighth Grade and Gen. Math.

*Best Wishes,
William
Mrs. Askew
My Stars!*

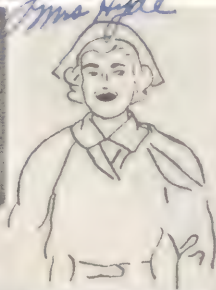


Mrs. Bonnie M. Kral
Sixth Grade

*Having known
you has helped
to make teaching
a pleasure -
Mrs. Kral*



Best of everything
for you
Mrs. Hyde



Mrs. Ethel Mae Hyde
Fifth Grade



Mrs. Lucille Dispennett
Fourth Grade and
Ancient History

William, it has
been a pleasure to
know you.
Mrs. Dispennett

Best wishes to you
It has been a pleasure
to know you.
Mrs. Arthur



Mrs. Ruth Arthur
Third Grade



Miss Ruby Lee Moore
Second Grade

I enjoyed having
you in my
classes, William.
Ruby Lee Moore

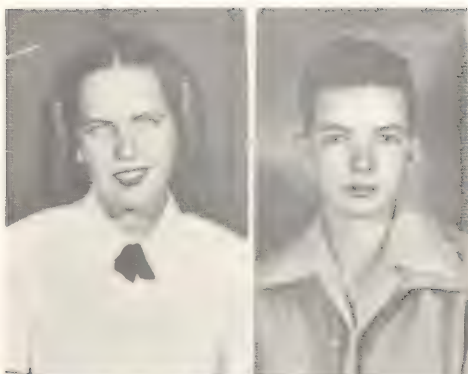


Mrs. Lillie Mae Russell
First Grade

William, I think you
are a fine boy.
Mrs. Russell



SENIORS



Jane Luttrell

Good grades aren't all, but Jane makes them and still has a good personality.



Ben Middleton

He's pretty good at art and handy with the ball when he is in the mood.



Tommy Bulin

Besides being the Kennedale "duke", he's a good third baseman on the softball team.



Lemoyne Savage

She makes a good conversationalist when she's given a start.



Bennie Ruth Shelton

If good-looks count, she will go a long way.



George Adams

As professor Smith says "Studious and sober, a regular guy."

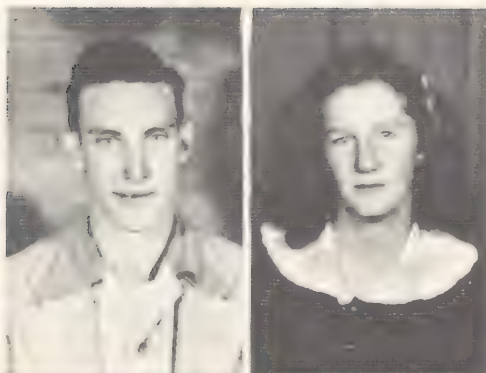


Burnice Morris

Solemn and thoughtful; her books she does know.

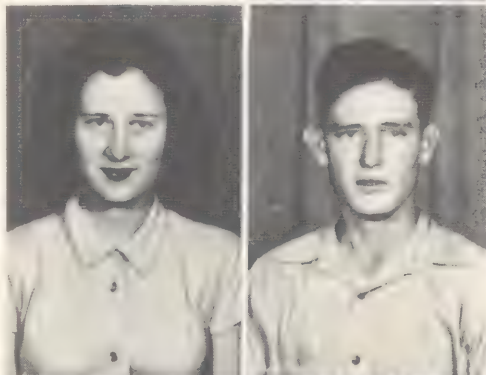
Wyatt Winslett
A Kennedale Pitcher
of popular caliber.

Barbara Willhelm
An admirer of beauty
and of a friendly dis-
position.



Iris Williams
Short, but not wide, a re-
gular rounder.

Mickey Wyatt
A slow goer, but always
in for a laugh.



Royce Self
Curley hair and good
physique, a constant
worry to the girls.

Frances Hale
Awfully quiet and a
steady goer.



Charlene Turner.
Self conscious about her
height; she majors in
exhibiting her ear rings.

*Good Luck
Charlene*



WILLS

Charlene Turner would like to will her height to Patsy Brown, also that "ring" to Ben Middleton.

Wyatt Winslett wills a good unused brain to Wilma Henry.

Royce Self wills his old books, yo-yo, scrap notebook paper, and second base on the ball team to Raymond Rone.

Tommy Bulin wills his hand carved, antique desk to Henry Boldt to park himself and his gum.

Benny Ruth wills her giggles to Melba June Sudduth if she needs them.

Being light of head and cold of feet, Ben Middleton wills his right to run this school to Billy Bridges.

Lemoyne Savage would like to will some of her good English grades to Jeanette Durfee.

Bernice Morris Wills her hour-glass figure (the one with the sand in the bottom) to Hazel Sims.

Barbara Wilhelm wills all her old shoes, flowers and base-ball bats to Loreta Elrod.

Mickey Wyatt wills his laziness, old bony horse and his sled to Raymond Brown.

Iris Williams wills her figure, dates and heartaches to Lillie Tatum.

Frances Hale wills bashfulness, boy-friends and teeth to Doris Swiney.

George Adams' beetle-brains, night-mares, friendships and batting order are willed to Raymond Elrod.

Jane Luttrell's love-life, horn and wad of gum are solemnly willed to Loretta Curry.

CLASS PROPHECY

In the year 1960 the class of 1947 came back to Kennedale for a reunion. They were greeted by Iris Williams who was running a shop for selling baby garments and by Royce Self, who was pastor of the Baptist Church. From Hollywood arrived Lemoyne Savage looking very stylish in her fur coat and carrying a waterbucket for a handbag. Tommy Bulin, who owned a store for disposing of rabbit hides and tin cans, was chairman of the reception committee. George Adams, who was running the Kennedale drug store, treated everyone to an ice cream soda while the bunch was razzing Barbara Willhelm and Charlene Turner because they had grown so fat. Charlene had her four little boys with her while Barbara had left hers at home with Grandmother Willhelm. Wyatt Winslett, who sold insurance on commission in the city of Mansfield, was present and demanded that chewing gum be served after the soda, so that they could chew and chew like the class did in the good old days. Mickie Wyatt piloted a plane from Chicago and landed at the Municipal Airport. He accompanied Bennyruth Shelton, one of his passengers, to the reunion. They were surprised to find that Frances Hale had graduated from college and was teaching music in John Tarleton. They were also surprised to find that Jane Luttrell was teaching in the Kennedale School where Mr. Arthur still held the title of superintendent, but was too old and feeble to do much more whipping. The crowd later all decided to go to a watermelon feast out on Ben Middleton's farm where Bernice Morris insisted that she tell them of her missionary trip into the jungles of Africa.

After the feast, chewing gum was again passed around by members of the Ninth Grade class of 1947.



STORMY JUNIORS

JUNIORS

ROW I

Hazel Sims: There is more than one fish in the pond.

Raymond Brown: His eyeballs are all for women.

Melba Sudduth: Her words are many but her thoughts are few.

Billy Bridges: A Romeo - "King Size".

ROW II

Jimmie Moore: The devil goes to Jimmie for lessons on devilment.

Loreta Elrod: The girl with so many boy friends she can't keep up with them.

Raymond Elrod: Bicycles and girls in Sublett don't mix.

Loretta Curry: The Judy Canova type.

ROW III

Patsy Brown: The Juliet type with the big eyes.

Elizabeth Mann: Bones are her specialty. No doubt.

Jeanette Durfee: Little but loud.

Lillie Tatum: A "Dutchess" in more ways than one.

ROW IV

Raymond Rone: Romantic, but in a rhumatic sort of way.

Victoria Wammack: The little girl who wasn't there.

Wilma Henry: The hour-glass figure type.

Henry Boldt: Hank Greenburg in person.

ROW V

Doris Swiney: Double Bubble bill rather high.

James Gregory: He can't tell a raw egg from a cooked one.







GRABES

EIGHTH GRADE

ROW I

Billie Marie Atchison, Eugene Ward, Marjorye Mallow, Charles Chumney

ROW II

Charles Foster, Joy Lou Biondi, Jimmie Simmons, Norma Jo Clark

ROW III

Dorothy Ward, Lemuel Wyatt, Joycelyn Minard, Hoyt Childres

ROW IV

Ray Henry, Annie Lois Smith, Hester Davis, Fay Henry

ROW V

Lela Bell Davis, Darrell Croft, Ladelle Hale, Jack Wright



SEVENTH GRADE

ROW I

Billie Jo Taylor, Joe Morris, Carol Jane Brown, Thomas McRay

ROW II

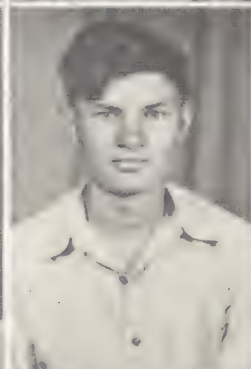
Don Luttrell, Janie Pearl Eller, Jay Miller, Bonnie Myers

ROW III

Doris Durfee, W. R. Shelton, Clarence Henry, Clyde Duke

ROW IV

Robert Willhelm, William Cromer, John Biondi, Clifton Cook



SIXTH GRADE

ROW I

O. M. Nessler, Gloria Barton, Wayford Duke, Lawana Sudduth, James Marsh

ROW II

Shirley Hardin, Gerald Self, Carol Gregory, Arthur Cooper, Mary Sue Elrod

ROW III

Ronald McRay, Margie Tidwell, Dan Davis, Glenda Wammack, Donnie Eller

ROW IV

Billie Jo Hughes, Hughlan Eller, Pauline Tatum, Kenneth Swiney, Viola
Lowery

ROW V

Herbert Spencer, Mary Louise Davis, Jerry Hughes, Ladelle Floyd, Oran
Mann



FIFTH GRADE

ROW I

Zola Mae Ward, Gordon Payne, Betty Crowder, Jerry Jenkins, June Curry

ROW II

James Adams, Norma Childress, Jerry Simmons, Claudette White,
Jimmie Cline

ROW III

Gwendolyn McRay, Richard Ward, Lois Preston, Glen McRay, Patsy Cooper

ROW IV

David Marsh, Nelda Faye Tidwell, Jim Miller, Joyce Knotts, Herschel
Luttrell

ROW V

Eunice Ewing, Richard O'Neal, Mildred Walters, Glen Curry, Margie
Ledbetter

ROW VI

Robert Foster, Jackie Eller, Charles Tidwell, Ann Pierce



FOURTH GRADE

ROW I

Robert Patterson, Billie Tatum, Carl Moore, Janis Gibbard, Daniel Atchison

ROW II

Martha Sue Floyd, Gene Jenkins, Phyllis Pearce, Jimmie Lee Yeary,
Margaret Self

ROW III

Hugh Shelton, Sandra Sartor, Neal Spencer, Darlene Morris, Donald Miller

ROW IV

Ann Fields, Rex Minard, Alva June Brown, Alford Davis, Melba Archer

ROW V

Jerry Hale, Garland Curry, Jimmie Williams, Walter Davis, Lonnie Wyatt

ROW VI

Leonard Terrell, Tommy Swiney, Gerry Gillespie, Kenneth Pearce, Paul
Miller



THIRD GRADE

ROW I

Jimmy Patterson, Johnnie Cline, Gilbert Mills, Patsy Kay Cantrell,
Clarence Evans

ROW II

Dorothy Mitchell, Lewis England, Carol Hughes, Roy Duke, Meda Margaret
Mills

ROW III

Phillip Biondi, Wanda Lee Elrod, Ronnie Minard, Rosalie Lowery, Haskell
Wade

ROW IV

Ruby Preston, Perry Cantrell, Dorothy Curry, Joe Daugherty, Doris
Ledbetter

ROW V

Cran Harrison, Lynda Ruth Arthur, Leonard Tidwell, Margie Williams,
Leon Cunningham



SECOND GRADE

ROW I

Rebecca Jane Johnson, James Patrick Turner, Paula Arthur, Alvin Brown,
Shirley Ann Pace

ROW II

Walter Lee Fuller, Delores Jane Garrett, Kenneth Wayne Daugherty,
Mary Lane Taylor, Kenneth Tramel

ROW III

Nelda Sue Swiney, Billy Wayne Cappers, Lucille Gay Henry, Roy Hale,
Carolyn Coker

ROW IV

Charles Archer, Wanda Sue White, Mitchel Anthony, Jo Ann Ledbetter,
Royce Neil Brewer

ROW V

Carolyn Marie Pierce, Donald Davis, June Morris, Jane Morris,
Marjorie Faye Robertson

ROW VI

Patricia Ann Miller, Glenda Mae Gibbard, Alva Doris Elrod, Jo Ann Chasteen,
Mary Evelyn Wammack



FIRST GRADE

ROW I

Jerry Cooper, Janelle Cappers, Thomas Savage, Sandra Lou Creach,
Michael Ferrell

ROW II

Norma Sue Crowder, Arthur Eller, Billie Marie Daugherty, Ben Arthur Nessler,
Lurline Runkle

ROW III

James Vernon Tolliver, Maurice Dewald, Rex Howard Mann, Billie Jean Ivey,
Charles O'Neal

ROW IV

Joyce Franks, James Minard, Susan Hughes, Marshall Tyson, Patsy Pearce

ROW V

Paul Edward Brashear, Glenda Yeates, Richard Eller, Gaye Preston,
Allan Elrod

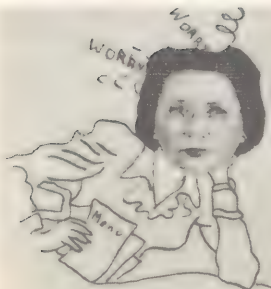
ROW VI

Marilyn Gillispie, Dickie Ray Hornberger, Mary Beth Tyson, Teddy Patterson,
Barbara Ann Davis

ROW VII

Darlene Wadlington, Dorthy Ann Morris, Wanda Lee Mills, Joy Childers





Chow hound

SCHOOL LUNCHROOM

Mrs. Clara Rodgers, Supervisor

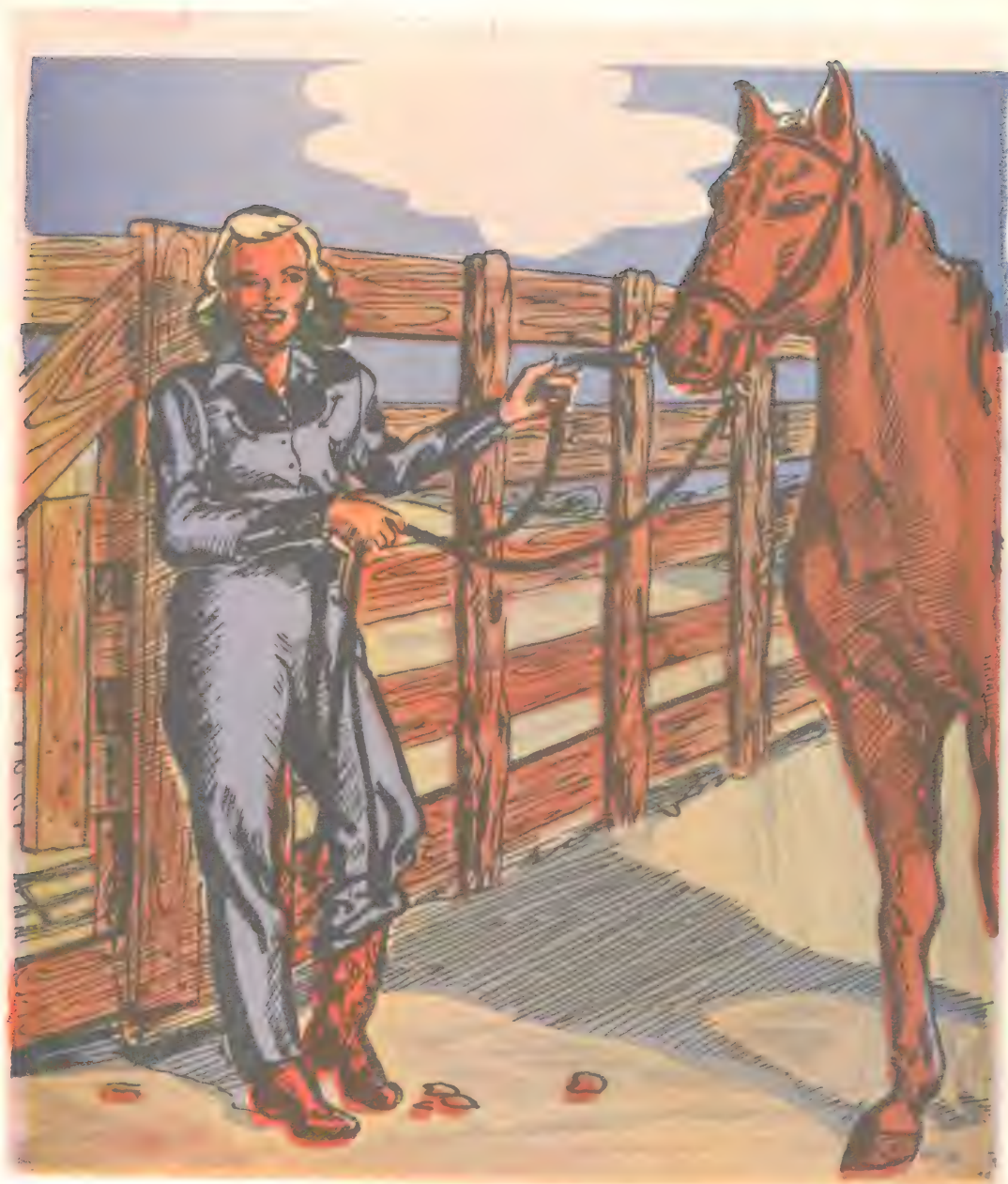
Mrs. Lela Sudduth

Mrs. LaVerne Harper





FAVORITES



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JANE LUTTRELL

SENIOR FAVORITES

TOMMY BULIN





JUNIOR FAVORITES

Melba June Sudduth

Billy Bridges



SOPHOMORE FAVORITES

Hoyt Childres

Billie Marie Atchison



ACTIVITIES



PAPER STAFF

Lemoine Savare
Bennie Ruth Shelton
Ben Middleton
Charlene Turner

Tommy Bulin
George Adams
Wyatt Winslett
Royce Self

Mickie Wyatt
Barbara Willhelm
Bernice Morris
Iris Williards



"THERE GOES THE BRIDE"

Alvin Bulin
Mrs. Vivian Knotts
Mrs. Alma Foster
Frank Bedford

Mrs. Inez Turner
Douglas Cooner
Tom Pace
Paul Winters

Mrs. Frank Nessler
Trudo Webb
Mrs. Alma Spencer
Mrs. L. Dispennett



4-H CLUB GIRLS SENIOR



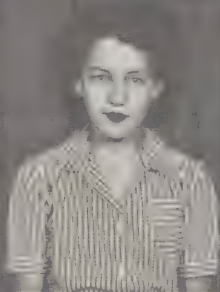
Iris Williams
President



Jane Luttrell
Vice President



Wilma Henry
Secretary



Dorothy Ward
Song Leader



Patsy Brown
Reporter



Charlene Turner
Council Delegate

4-H CLUB BOYS SENIOR



Tommy Bulin
President



Eugene Ward
Vice President



Royce Self
Reporter



Steve Moore
Secretary



Wyat Winslett
Song Leader



Doris Durfee
President



Pauline Tatum
Secretary



O. M. Nessler
President



Clarence Henry
Secretary

4-H CLUB GIRLS JUNIOR



Norma Childress
Reporter



Mary Louise Davis
Vice President



Gwendolyn McRay
Song Leader

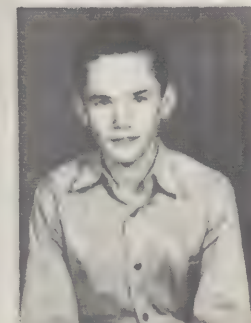
4-H CLUB BOYS JUNIOR



Dan Davis
Vice President



Thomas McRay
Reporter



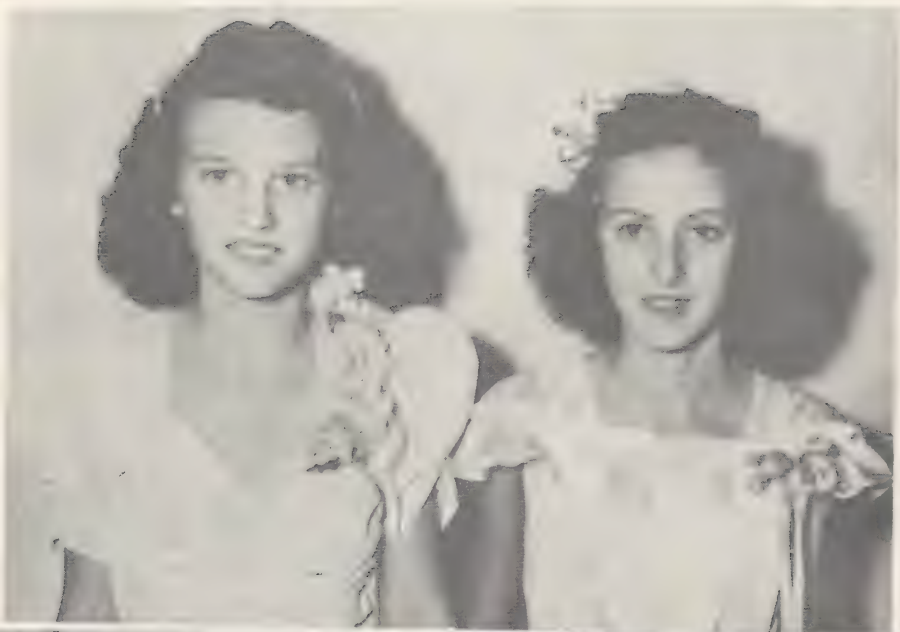
Thomas McRay
Reporter

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George Adams
Tommy Bulin

Jane Luttrell
Wyatt Winslett
Lemoyne Savage
Barbara Willhelm
Raymond Rone



"SEWING FOR THE HEATHEN"

Wilma Henry
Loretta Elrod
Doris Jean Swiney

Lillie Jewel Tatum
Jeanette Durfee
Loretta Curry
Hazel Sims

Patsy Brown
Melba Sudduth
Raymond Brown



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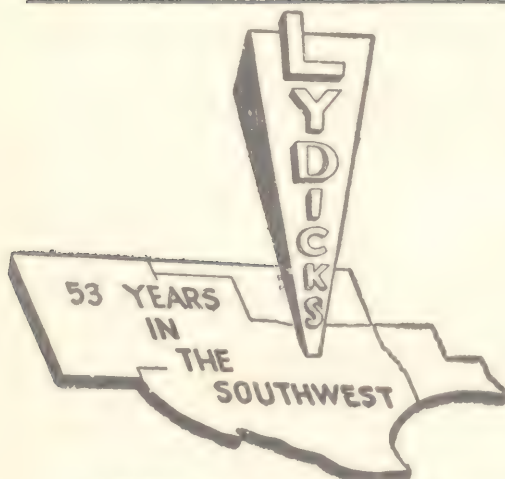
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